GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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Utilization of Gaushalas
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(a) whether the Government has chalked out any strategy to make Gaushalas self-reliant through compost fertilizers, milk−ghee production and bio-gas based power generation under the cow-progeny development scheme ;
(b) if so, the details thereof; and
(c) The steps taken by the government to increase the public-private partnership in Gaushalas and to promote the production of medicines and useful products derived from cow products?

Answer

ANSWER
THE MINISTER OF STATE FOR AGRICULTURE AND FARMERS WELFARE
(SHRI SUDARSHAN BHAGAT)

(a) to (c) No, Madam. However, Government has initiated Rashtriya Gokul Mission (RGM) under National Programme for Bovine Breeding and Dairy Development with the aim of development and conservation of indigenous breeds. The Mission also provides opportunities to Livestock Development Boards to take up breeding programme in Gaushalas if same is recommended by the State Governments. The scheme also covers in addition to other components assistance for marketing of A2 A2 milk and establishment of biogas plants.